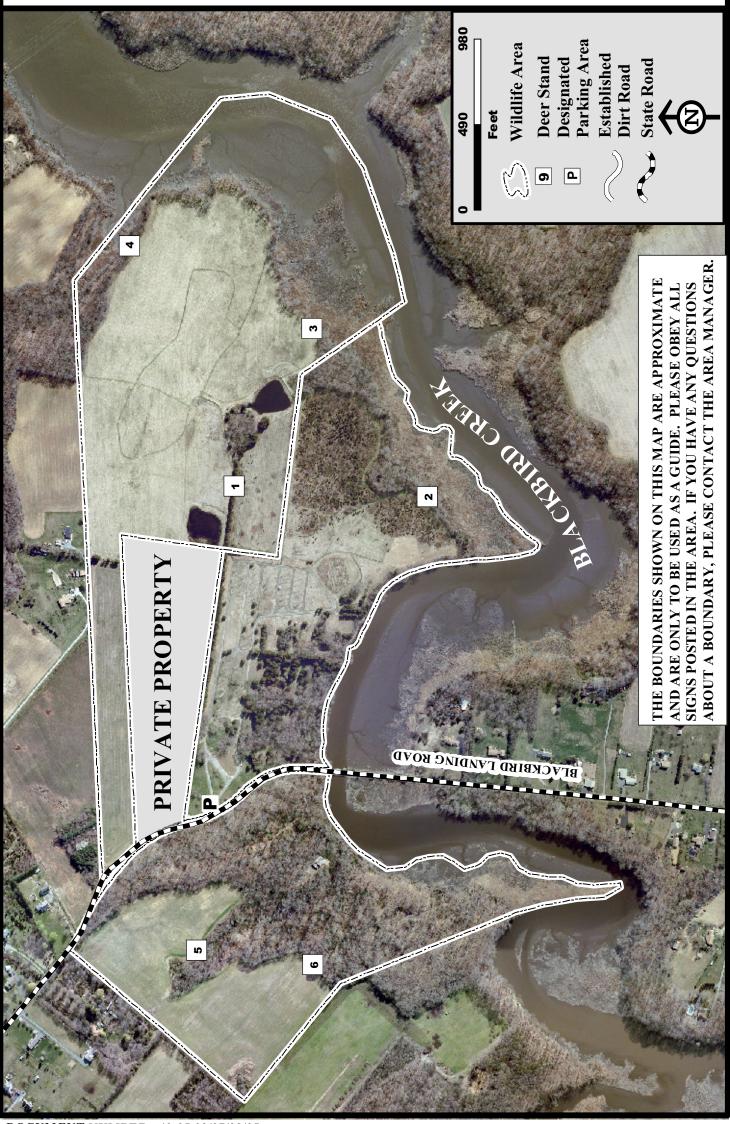
DNERR BLACKBIRD RESERVE TRACT











2008-2009

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Blackbird Creek Reserve Tract

HUNTING

Persons may hunt on the Delaware National Estuarine Research Reserve only as directed by the following rules, which have been established by Wildlife Regulation 3908 (WR-3908) of the Division of Fish and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 103, 7 Delaware Code. Violators of wildlife area regulations may be subject to fines and or revocation of their hunting privileges on state wildlife areas for up to one year.

A. DEER - FIREARM

- 1. Shotgun hunting by permit only.
- 2. Shotgun deer permits (November, November Youth Hunt, December and January shotgun seasons only) will be issued by a daily lottery drawing at the Cedar Swamp Lottery Station.
- 3. Daily permits issued 1 1/2 hours before legal shooting time. Vacant stands will then be re-issued by a second lottery at 12:00 PM. No permits issued after 1:00 PM. Hunters are advised to arrive early to participate.
- 4. All permits must be filled out and deposited in the drop boxes located on the area or lottery station at the end of the day's hunt. Failure to accurately report harvest and return permits will result in loss of hunting privileges.
- 5. Deer hunting in this area will not be permitted during the Special October Antlerless Firearm Season.
- 6. Deer hunters must park in appropriate parking lots (see maps) and go directly to their stands.
- 7. Hunters may not "drive" deer and must hunt from state-built stands.
- 8. Only one firearm is permitted/deer stand.
- 9. This area will not be open to archery or muzzleloader deer hunting.

B. UPLAND - NONE PERMITTED

C. WATERFOWL - NONE PERMITTED

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For further information, contact the Division of Fish and Wildlife, Dover, Delaware 19901 Telephone: 739-9912, Augustine Wildlife Area (834-8433), or Cedar Swamp Lottery Station (653-8080).

To report wildlife or wildlife area violations, or to contact an enforcement agent call the Department Communication Center toll free at 1-800-523-3336.

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